

What Income Do I Show to Receive Extra Priority?

The Marijuana Regulation and Taxation Act (MRTA) specifies that certain Social and Economic Equity (SEE) applicants receive extra priority. Extra priority shall be given to SEE applicants that demonstrate that an applicant (i) is a member of a community disproportionately impacted by the enforcement of cannabis prohibition; (ii) has an income lower than eighty percent of the median income of the county in which the applicant resides; and (iii) was convicted of a cannabis-related offense prior to the effective date of the MRTA (March 31, 2021), or had a parent, guardian, child, spouse, or dependent, or was a dependent of an individual who, prior to March 31, 2021, was convicted of a cannabis-related offense.

If you are a SEE applicant and wish to receive extra priority, you must submit federal, state, or local documentation proving that your income is **less** than the threshold for your county below:

County	Income Thresholds for Extra Priority
Albany County, New York	Less than \$61,791.12
Allegany County, New York	Less than \$46,326.84
Bronx County, New York	Less than \$37,887.50
Broome County, New York	Less than \$47,240.22
Cattaraugus County, New York	Less than \$45,850.25
Cayuga County, New York	Less than \$52,438.39
Chautauqua County, New York	Less than \$43,693.39
Chemung County, New York	Less than \$49,633.12
Chenango County, New York	Less than \$46,805.23
Clinton County, New York	Less than \$53,817.52
Columbia County, New York	Less than \$62,173.66
Cortland County, New York	Less than \$53,531.75
Delaware County, New York	Less than \$45,167.47
Dutchess County, New York	Less than \$74,013.33
Erie County, New York	Less than \$53,775.92
Essex County, New York	Less than \$52,550.53
Franklin County, New York	Less than \$47,844.33
Fulton County, New York	Less than \$46,721.13
Genesee County, New York	Less than \$54,834.91
Greene County, New York	Less than \$51,259.13
Hamilton County, New York	Less than \$54,825.86
Herkimer County, New York	Less than \$52,848.06
Jefferson County, New York	Less than \$49,491.14
Kings County, New York	Less than \$57,853.61
Lewis County, New York	Less than \$50,816.90
Livingston County, New York	Less than \$54,484.92



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Madison County, New York	Less than \$55,324.16
Monroe County, New York	Less than \$56,148.01
Montgomery County, New York	Less than \$45,349.24
Nassau County, New York	Less than \$108,553.85
New York County, New York	Less than \$81,220.95
Niagara County, New York	Less than \$51,775.51
Oneida County, New York	Less than \$53,458.49
Onondaga County, New York	Less than \$56,673.44
Ontario County, New York	Less than \$58,596.98
Orange County, New York	Less than \$73,085.47
Orleans County, New York	Less than \$47,892.26
Oswego County, New York	Less than \$53,419.61
Otsego County, New York	Less than \$50,797.91
Putnam County, New York	Less than \$96,987.29
Queens County, New York	Less than \$65,138.10
Rensselaer County, New York	Less than \$65,573.99
Richmond County, New York	Less than \$77,213.80
Rockland County, New York	Less than \$85,768.00
St. Lawrence County, New York	Less than \$47,090.10
Saratoga County, New York	Less than \$77,071.82
Schenectady County, New York	Less than \$60,128.03
Schoharie County, New York	Less than \$53,289.38
Schuyler County, New York	Less than \$48,193.40
Seneca County, New York	Less than \$49,616.84
Steuben County, New York	Less than \$50,054.54
Suffolk County, New York	Less than \$95,283.50
Sullivan County, New York	Less than \$54,652.23
Tioga County, New York	Less than \$56,037.68
Tompkins County, New York	Less than \$55,491.46
Ulster County, New York	Less than \$59,059.10
Warren County, New York	Less than \$58,473.08
Washington County, New York	Less than \$53,910.67
Wayne County, New York	Less than \$56,072.05
Westchester County, New York	Less than \$89,972.29
Wyoming County, New York	Less than \$53,126.60
Yates County, New York	Less than \$50,016.56

Data Sources: U.S. Census Bureau Median Household Income in the Past 12 Months and FRED Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers: All Items in New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA